--- 1/6th Pound - Red - “Series of 1897” - scanned at 65% scale ---

The catalogue lists the “Series of 1897” recess printed 1/6th pound red strip as follows:

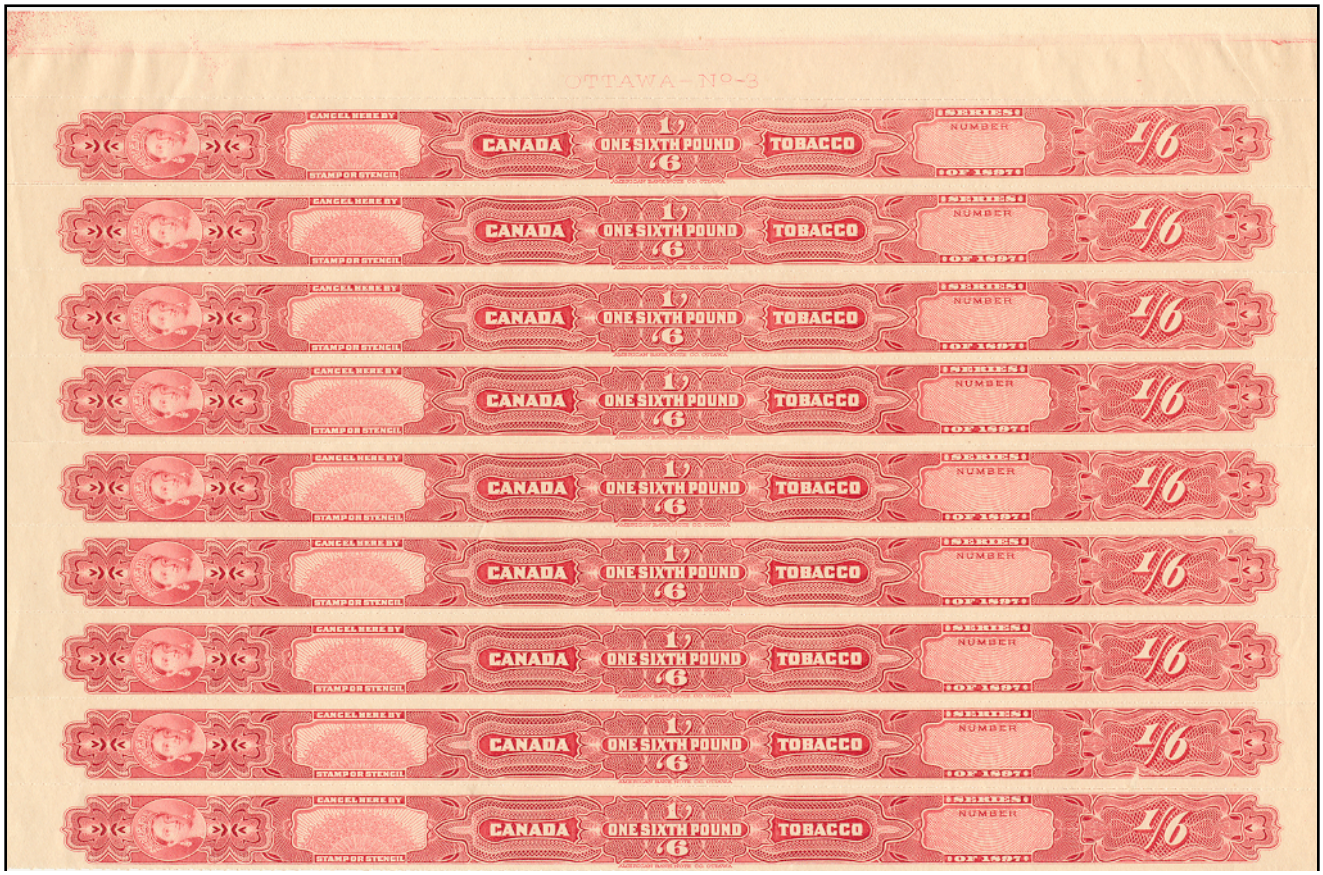
RP-683 - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove, 250 x 15 mm, with 4½ mm. blue controls

The control numbering was a repeating cycle from **000001** to **9999999**. Thus, maintaining a consecutive control listing serves only to provide a measure of the relative scarcity of a particular strip. There is no way to tell if, and how many times ABN repeated the control numbering cycle. Extant unused strips are mainly late date *remnants* which became available when the strips were declared to be obsolete.

--- RP-683n - Recess printed by *hand press* on *vertical mesh* wove - *without controls* - 247 x 15 mm. ---

RP-683n - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *vertical mesh* wove, without controls - 247 x 15 mm ***- two copies***

RP-683n - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *vertical mesh* wove, without control numbering
Stamped **Registered** and **CANCELLED** in violet ink - 247 x 15 mm



RP-683n - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *vertical mesh* wove, without control numbering
The top nine remnant strips from Plate No. 3, *not yet control-numbered* - 250 x 15 mm

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--- 1/6th Pound - Red - “Series of 1897” - scanned at 65% scale ---

--- Recess printed by *rotary press* on *horizontal mesh* wove - 4½ mm. *blue controls* - 250 x 15 mm. ---

--- RP-683 - *coarse roulette* - 23 mm. imprint “AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. OTTAWA” **---**

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RP-683 - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove, with 4½ mm. blue controls - 250 x 15 mm

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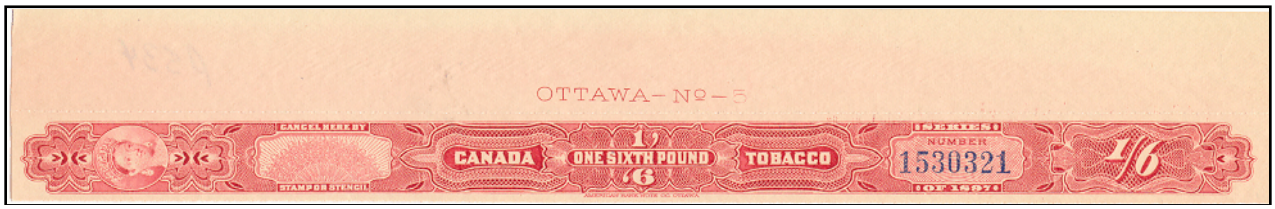
RP-683 - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove, control number **1530176**



RP-683 - 1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove, control number **1530321** - top copy from Plate No. 5

1530028	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530032	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530040	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530050	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530058	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530074	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530156 ★	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530176 ★	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530204	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530214	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530285	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530321 ★	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove, a top copy Plate No. 5
1530386	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530405	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530435 ★	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530443	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530445	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530447	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530467	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove
1530474	RP-683	1/6th pound, red, *coarse roulette*, on *horizontal mesh* wove

These are all remnant strips, mostly taken from eBay. The red strips, printed at a later date, were intended for use on tobacco products made from a blend of imported and domestic tobacco.

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